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Applicant : David Felger
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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, Applicant hereby brings to the Examiner's attention the following documents:

U.S. Patent 5,878,337 to JOAO et al., which issued on June 12, 1997;
U.S. Patent 5,274,824 to HOWARTH, which issued on December 28, 1993;
U.S. Patent 5,333,196 to JAKAB, which issued on July 26, 1994;
U.S. Patent 5,408,519 to PIERCE et al., which issued on April 18, 1995;
U.S. Patent 5,440,621 to CASTRO, which issued on August 8, 1995;
U.S. Patent 5,450,477 to AMARANT et al., which issued on September 12, 1995;
U.S. Patent 5,481,600 to ALESIO, which issued on January 2, 1996;
U.S. Patent 5,524,145 to PARKER, which issued on June 4, 1996;
U.S. Patent 5,537,464 to LEWIS et al., which issued on July 16, 1996;
U.S. Patent 5,682,475 to JOHNSON et al., which issued on October 28, 1997;

U.S. Patent 5,721,768 to STIMSON et al., which issued on February 24, 1998

U.S. Patent 5,799,072 to VULCAN et al., which issued on August 25, 1998;

U.S. Patent 5,825,863 to WALKER, which issued on October 20, 1998;

U.S. Patent 5,844,972 to JAGADISH et al., which issued on December 1, 1998;

U.S. Patent 6,292,478 to FARRIS, which issued on September 18, 2001;

U.S. Patent 6,549,889 to LAUFFER, which issued on April 15, 2003; and

U.S. Patent 6,636,590. to JACOB et al., which issued on October 21, 2003.

Applicant also notes the following U.S. Patents that have recently issued to Applicant:

U.S. Patent 5,960,069 to FELGER, which issued on September 28, 1999;

U.S. Patent 5,894,510 to FELGER, which issued on April 13, 1999;

U.S. Patent 6,282,276 to FELGER, which issued on August 28, 2001;

U.S. Patent 6,553,108 to FELGER, which issued on April 22, 2003; and

U.S. Patent 7,013,001 to FELGER, which issued on March 14, 2006.

The following co-pending applications have been filed by Applicant:

U.S. Application No. 11/371,900, which was published as U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2006-0153350 A1 on July 13, 2006. Applicant notes that an Office Action was mailed in this application on November 28, 2006, which the Examiner is invited to review;

U.S. Application No. 10/422,751, which was published as U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003-0195846 A1 on October 16, 2003;

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/422,757, which was published as U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003-0195847 A1 on October 16, 2003; and

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/422,758, which was published as U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003-0195848 A1 on October 16, 2003.

Applicant also calls the Examiner's attention to litigation involving U.S. Patent 6,282,276, from which priority is claimed, stylized as Ingenio, Inc. v. Acacia Patent Acquisition Corporation, Acacia Research Corporation, and Credit Card Fraud Control Corporation, filed in 2006 in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, San Francisco Division, Case No. C 06-06423 MJJ.

Further to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's decision to waive the requirement for submitting copies of U.S. patents and published U.S. applications, copies of the above-noted U.S. patents and U.S. Patent Application Publications are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicant submits that no fee is required to be paid to ensure consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement, as it is being filed with a Request for continued Examination.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. Copies of above-noted documents are listed on an attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicant with the next official communication in the present application.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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